FISCAL NOTE

HB 1131 - SB 1639

February 13, 2007

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires the Tennessee Ethics Commission to establish lobbyist and employer of lobbyist registration fees at no less than \$50.00.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

MINIMAL

Assumptions:

- Prohibits the Ethics Commission from charging less than \$50.00 for lobbyist and employer of lobbyist registration.
- The Ethics Commission rules currently set the registration fees at \$150.00.
- Since the current registration fees exceed the minimum proposed by the bill, there would be no impact on state revenues.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director